Modernisation of Collieries in Maharashtra

3555. SHRI VILASRAO NAGNATHRAO GUNDEWAR: Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) the collieries proposed to be modernised in Maharashtra;

(b) the number of new collieries proposed to be opened, location-wise;

(c) the amount earmarked for these collieries, colliery-wise;

(d) whether the coal production is likely to be increased as a result thereof; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COAL (SHRI S.B. NYAMAGOUDA): (a) The modernisation of existing coal mines and new projects is a continuous process and is taken up progressively considering the techno-economics, availability of financial resources etc. The following mines of WCL located in Maharashtra were/have been identified for modernisation:-

Location/ District	*Mine*
Nagpur	Saoner I
	Saoner II
	Silewara
	Makardhokra UG
	Umrer
Chandrapur	Nakoda
	Wirur
	Subai
	Chincholi
	Ballarpur
	Sasti
	Rajur
	Durgapur CC
	Padmapur CC
	Hindustan Lalpeth
	Pandarpauri
	Majri
	Ghugus
	Wani

(b) and (c). Details of new projects which have been sanctioned and formulated alongwith the amounts proposed/earmarked for 8th Plan (1992-93 to 1996-97) are given in the Annexure.

(d) and (e). The present level of coal production in Maharashtra is 16.85 m.t. (1990-91). This is expected to increase to over 23 m.t. by 1996.97.

STATEMENT

New Collieries to be opened in maharashtra

Name		*Location Distt.*	*Capacity MTY*	*Additional Amount earmarked for VIII Plan (1992-93 to 1996-97) (Rs. Crores)*
Already sanctioned				
1.	Wirur UG	Chandrapur	0.32	10.07
2.	Subai UG	-do-	0.32	8.81
3.	chincholi UG	-do-	0.40	12.68
4.	Morpar UG	-do-	0.28	11.67
5.	Gouri II OC	-do-	0.35	10.80
6.	Bhatadih OC	-do-	0.25	10.30
7.	Chatgaon I-OC (Bhima)	-do-	0.24	11.01
9.	Kolarpimpri OC AA	Yeotmal	-	1.81
10.	Ukni OC AA	-do-	-	4.97
11.	Mugoli OC AA	-do-	-	9.27

Name		Location Distt.	Capacity MTY	Additional Amount earmarked for VIII Plan (1992-93 to 1996-97) (Rs. Crores)
12.	Junad OC	-do-	0.32	9.33
13.	Nalgaon OC	-do-	0.35	14.21
14.	Gondegaon OC AA	Nagpur	-	6.26
Formulated and vet to be approved				
1.	Kolarpimpri OC	Yeotmal	0.65	25.24
2.	Ukni OC	-do-	1.10	27.29
3.	Mugoli	-do-	0.80	24.36
4.	Ghonsa I	-do-	0.25	16.63
5.	Gondegaon	Nagpur	0.75	22.23
6.	Amb River Diversion	Nagpur	-	18.27
7.	Haranj I OC	Chandrapur	0.45	24.27

AA - Advance Action Plan.

MTY - Million tonnes per year.